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AMENDMENT RESPONDING TO MARCH 6, 2007 NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT IN UNITED STATES PATENT APPLICATION NO. 10/792,038

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Sir:

This responds to the March 6, 2007 Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment in the above-identified application. The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment is based on applicants response to the November 24, 2006 Office Action, as submitted on February 26, 2007. According to the Legal Instruments Examiner, claim 12 was missing a proper status identifier. Applicants have corrected said error herein.

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Please amend the claims, as set out in the following Section I (the Claims).

Remarks addressing the substance of the November 24, 2006 Office Action are set out in the Section II (Remarks) hereof.